

TERRITORY OF GUAM

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AGAÑA, GUAM 96910 U. S. A.

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 91-15

AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF FORESTRY AND SOIL RESOURCES OF THE DEPARIMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ACCEPT DONATIONS OF MATERIALS TO SUPPLEMENT THE ANNUAL TREE PLANTING PROGRAM FOR THE TERRITORY

- the Department of Agriculture's Division of Forestry and Soil WHEREAS, Resources (FSRD) is tasked with protecting and enhancing Guam's Conservation Reserves for the benefit of Guam (PL 16-62); and
- FSRD has shown that tree planting in the Cotal Reserve has changed WHEREAS, the topography from a fire prone, highly erodible grassland to a more productive forest stand that enhances watersheds and protects valuable top soil; and
- tree planting helps in the reduction of the green house effect and WHEREAS, also adds to the beauty of the island's urban villages and rural areas for the tourist and the citizens of the Territory to enjoy;
- members of the public and private sectors have come forth to offer WHEREAS. assistance in accelerating the tree planting program as benefiting to the community but FSRD could not solicit their help for lack of such authority; and
- this program provides benefits to the Territory, from enhancing the WHEREAS. beauty of Guam for the Tourism Industry, conservation of wildlands for Guam's children, to the reduction of global warming to save planet earth.
- NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOSEPH F. ADA, Governor of the Territory of Guam, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Organic Act of Guam, as amended, do hereby authorize the Department of Agriculture, Division of Forestry and Soil Resources, to accept donations to support their annual tree planting program.

All materials and donations are to be placed with the Division of Forestry and Soil Resources. The Director of Agriculture shall provide an accounting of materials donated and used to the Director of Administration.

SIGNED AND PROMULGATED at Agana, Guam this 31 day of May, 1991.

Governor of Guam

COUNTERSIGNED:

FRANK F. BLAS

Lieutenant Governor of Guam